ing next!

Philadelphia proposes to purify its water with chemicals. The Kentucky plan is surest.

"Make money your slave," says Mr. Rockefeller-but unfortunately he doesn't give the recipe.

Mrs. Bessie Nunzinsky of New York is convinced that eating is a fallacy We are sorry for Mr. Nunzinsky.

The crew of an American schooner is in trouble for fishing for sponges in Cuban waters. Never sponge sponges.

An Illinois man put a lighted pipe in his pocket, set fire to his clothes, and is now in a hospital. Tobacco is injurious.

The man who, observing your struggle for independence, warns you that money doesn't bring happiness, generally has a lot.

Farming operations generally may be two weeks behind this spring, but the weeds seem to be about as far advaccoul na usual.

porced a "grievous yet gloristis battle," will somebody rise up and accuse him of plagiarism? An English railway expert is as-

tonished to find that the "one idea of your railways is to 'get there.' That's why we build them.

When Dr. Rainsford says that five men can do more working together than ten men apart, he doesn't mean five writers in a newspaper office.

There be three sorts of peoplethose with pulls, those that are pulled,

"This being 'up in arms' isn't what it is cracked up to be," the young father remarked, as he paced the floor at midnight with his roaring first-

Friends and relatives of the American war correspondents needn't worry much about their personal safety until they can get considerably nearer to the front.

"How many zones are there?" asked a teacher, and the bright boy answered: "Six-one torrid, two temperate, two frigid, and the Panama

One hundred girls employed in a Connecticut woolen mill have struck for the right to flirt. It will probab be pretty hard to get new girls to take

One war and six revolutions are now going on in South America and the West Indies. This being the hot season, things are naturally rather dull down there.

London is going to try to decide Manuerhetherminities, loterest time don long ago accepted oysters, and swallows them alive.

There is nothing remarkable about the Cleveland lad who is finishing his high school course by telephone. Almost any healthy boy would prefer that to going to school.

After searching thirty-eight years for her relatives a woman has found a cousin who is a prisoner in Sing Sing. There are a good many things that are better not discovered.

Russell Sage remarks that no man ought to pay more than fifty cents for a straw hat. Apparently it has never occurred to him that it would be cheaper still to go bareheaded.

Three thousand people of Buczacz, Austria, have been rendered homeless by a fire which recently destroyed 200 houses. The figures indicate that there is no race suicide in Buczacz.

The average citizen has great difficulty in pronouncing the geographical names in the war news, but his perplexity is nothing to what it would be if a war should break out in Maine.

One hundred people have been killed by a hurricane in Cochin China. Their case was very sad. They might have been killed in glorious battle cheering for their heaven-sent

No doubt in due time the Bayonne Married Men's society and the Wives' Anti-Lodge club will be getting out injunctions rectraining members of the rival organization from picketing

their flats A Louisville man tried to make the Pullman company pay for a big roll the sleeping-car. The jury failed to agree. How did it know that the \$386 was not given to the porter for

Boston was so hard pressed for pakers, because of the strike, that the employers found it necessary to call in their delivery wagon drivers to bake bread. It is scarcely necessary to add that it wasn't much like the bread mother used to bake.

If the Louisiana man who declares that paris green will kill the boll weevil gets the \$50,000 reward offered by Texas for a remedy, a good many millions of his fellow bitizens will kick themselves, metaphorically, because they took it for granted that the paris green specific had been tried.

crowded theater met his Waterloo in New York. He only got half the word out when a stage hand felled him and | thing more about it until-things are | ed back on his haunches by the side he was carried out unconscious. That stage hand deserves a medal.

cess Christian, Princess Charles of Denmark and the Princess of Wales. typewriters, but that is as nothing to the number of our typewriter girls who could, if necessary, earn their living as princesses.

Vice President Jean Jaure of the French chamber of deputies never pays more than \$10 for a suit of clothes. That's nothing but an old trick of American statesmen who need the votes of the masses.

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By FREDERICK UPHAM ADAMS Author of "The Kidnapped Millionaires," "Colonel Monroe's Dectrine," Etc.

THE REPORT OF THE PROPERTY OF CHAPTER EIGHT-Continued.

There were several richly dressed won't you, Jessie?" young women in the party, John Burt "Oh, John, for my sake don't get saw at a glance that Morris and some | into trouble!" pleaded Jessie, who of his companions were under the in- guessed something of the truth. oward her, a vacant smile mantling pague bottles and glasses,

FREDERICK UPHAM ADAMS

sand pardons! Detention anavoidable. arm. John Burt remained by Jessie's the fair maiden! Your amours weary

"Do not dare to speak to me, sir!"

"Stand back, Morris!" said John in the Carden. I'll wager you that in ray eyes. "You are in no condition. John Burt wilded general to sir, to meet Miss Carden."

grasped Arthur Morris by the lapel to the floor. of the coat.

a vindictive little laugh. "Don't you | head to a pulp! see you're not wanted?" She turned him by the arm.

and pullets. And the last are in the Voltaire led the yacht's befuddled through a mirror. Reaching into his end always plucked for the other two. owner along the pier into the grove, pocket with a quickness wonderful in

"I must 30 to the hotel for a few When the launch approached, Ar- minutes, fil meet you and Sam thur Morris was seen in the bow, later," he said, "You'll excuse me,

A. J. DREXEL BIDDLE

fluence of liquor. Jessie guessed as John walked hurriedly away. Enmuch, and her suspicions became a tering the hotel, he say Arthur Morris certainty when Morris stepped un- and five of his male companions seatsteadily to the landing and came ed around a table loaded with cham-

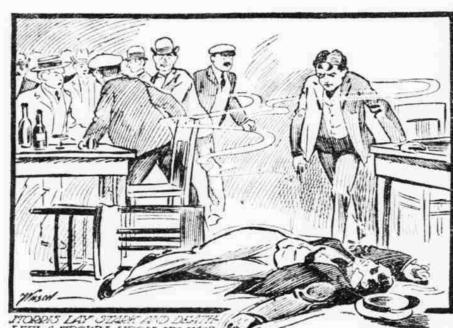
John stood unobserved in the deep-"A thousand pardons, Miss Carden," tering the hotel, he saw Arthur Morris he said, his voice husky and his body | was attempting to sing, hammering on | very erect, but wavering. "A thou- the table with a came to heat time. "You're a fine Lothario, comme assure you—un'void'ble detention, as | dore!" said Kingsley, as he slowly sure you! 'Sall right, though; 'sall | filled his glass, "After all your boasts right now. Allow me, Miss Carden," | you let a yokel cut you out, shake his and he stepped forward to offer his list in your face, and sail away with Dr. Rainsford Tells of Preaching Ser-

"Hold your tongue, Kingsley!" cried Jessle, shame and anger driving growled Morris. "You'll sing a differ strange interruptions he encountered the crimson to her face. "Don't let ent tune a few weeks from now. As while preaching one of his earliest him come near me, John!" she ex- for this fellow, Burt, I'll horsewhip someons in the English cathedral claimed, clinging to Burt's stalwart him the first time I meet him! You town of Norwich. need not worry about my success with

John Burt glided across the room, grasped him by the shoulders, drag-The flashily-dressed throng of ged him from the chair, and with a

"Come on, you fool!" she said with er of women, and I will heat your Rainsford and winked.

Morris' guests threw themselves be him half round and Kingsley grabbed tween the two men, and John relaxed his grasp on Morris' neck. Dazed for "Come along, commodore," said that the moment, Morris recovered himyoung blood. "You are in the wrong | self, and his face became distorted pew, commodore! Cheer up, sad sea with rage. Seizing a heavy bottle dog; we may be happy yet!" And with he hurled it at John's head. The bot laughter and taunts the guests of the the missed its mark and crashed



from those dreadful people."

was busy with thoughts, and both on the sanded floor of the inn, stark Minot's Light, and having passed in- heart was an ominous smear of red, to him as an open book.

thing! We're both awfully stupid to- from his mouth, day. Don't you think so?" "I will tell you a secret-two

secrets," said John, gravely. "Don't tell me secrets if you wish them kept, John," laughed Jessie, "I'm a regular tell-tale!"

"You will keep these secrets-at Sam Rounds, least, one of them," replied John. "I'm going away. That's the first secret." John, as soon as ye can!" whispered

'Where, John?" "Out West-to California."

What does this mean, John?" little face was serious now,

side. Jessie's soft brown eyes open- naught but its victim. ed wide, then dropped as they met his | Jessie ran forward to meet him,

fervent gaze. i love you."

in a tender clasp, and she listened as terror. "Are you shot? Are you hurt, in a dream to the words which clam- John? Oh, tell me, John!" ored for her love.

its earnestness. "I do not ask you to leave at once. I will tell you about it love me now. I do not ask you to on the way home." promise to be my wife. I only ask you to know that I love you; to know there is one man who has no thought other than your welfare; who cherishes no ambition other than to see you showered with all the blessings and honors which God can grant to a good woman. That is my love, Jessie! If some day I have an bonest right to ask your love in return, I shall do so, making no claim on our old friendship. May I love you that

way? Say that I may, Jessie! "I-I want you to love me, John, but please don't speak of it again, John!" said Jessie, raising her eyes glistening with tears. "I mean-not drew away from him. They heard the not thought of love; at least, I-I she clutched his arm. den't think I have! Please, John. promise me that you will not say anydifferent. Will you promise?"

made the promise. The sail was raised, and they started back toward the grove. John help- gasped Sam. "I've thrown 'em off presario offered her \$10,000 a year to

his friends are drunk in the hotel," | Rounds! Git up!" Carden half a dozen times."

he turned to Jessie.

Jessie shed tears of vexation, but his condition, he drew a revolver, anger dried her eyes. She turned to and before any one could interfere gerous criminal with a warning. John with a wistful little smile on her fired pointblank at John Burt, who was not three yards away.

"Take me out in your boat, John," Like a panthor, Burt hand under the ceiling. In a writhing, struggling | Short Stories, In a few minutes the Standish hole mass, amid overturned chairs and bed saucily at the landing, and Jessie | tables, and the flight of panic stricken stepped on board. The wind had spectators, both men lurched heavily scarcely filled the sail when Morris to the floor, John Burt uppermost, As came running down the pier. He stop- they fell, a third shot was fired, the ped at he saw the pair in the boat, report being muffled as the shell ex- of Wheaton. and glared at them as they glided photed within their close embrace. away, brute rage showing in every The smoking weapon fell to the feature of his flushed face. His floor from the nerveless grasp or a friends followed and led him back. thur Morris. John Burt selzed it and Little was said between the two thrust it into his pocket, but the preas the boat moved swiftly along. Each caution was unnecessary. Morris lay

seemed under the spell of threatened and deathlike, a frown upon his face. trouble. John pointed the boat for On the white flannel shirt above his side followed the rocky shore, avoid- slowly widening in a circle with each tion, he said. ing the reefs and shoals, which were respiration, before the eyes of the men who bent over him. A froth "Tell me a story, John, or any-tinged with blood oozed and bubbled

CHAPTER NINE.

The Parting. John felt the touch of a hand on his shoulder, and, turning quickly, faced

"Fer God's sake, git outer here, "Going away?" echoed Jessie, Sam. John hung back defiantly, "Come on, John, Jessie's waitin' fer

"Going to leave Harvard? Going At the sound of Jessie's name a to California? Surely you're joking! wave of agony swept over John Burt. The With a glance at the motionless form of Morris, he turned and followed "That is the second secret, Jessie." Sam Rounds. No hand was raised to There was that in his voice and in stop him. The witnesses of the traghis eyes which thrilled the girl by his edy, held in a spell, had eyes for

her face white with fear. "I am going away, Jessie, because Oh, what has happened, John? What has happened?" Her voice trem-The little hand became imprisoned bled and her lips parted with a vague

"I'm not burt, darling," said John, me!" His voice was commanding in thing has happened, and we must

> By a stern effort John Burt mastered his emotions and calmly told Jessie between Nuneaton and Corley, is to what had happened. He said no word of the shameful insults in which her a short distance was born the Warname had been bandied in a public wickshire novelist, George Eliot, and drinking place. He explained that a in "Adam Bede" Corley Hall farm figquarrel had arisen, during which Morris had been shot with his own weap- the immortal Mrs. Poyser lived, and on. Jessie listened breathlessly. It had grown so dark that John could not see her face, but there was a tremor in her voice when she asked: "Will he die, John?"

"I fear so," replied John. It might have been imagination, but from all parts of the world. he thought that Jessie shuddered and to speak of it for years, John. I have rapid beat of hoofs behind them and

Out of the darkness a horse madly ridden, dashed forward, and was pullof the carriage. A face peered in- ode in her own right and owns one of

he said excitedly. "He says he's go- | Sam gave the horses a cut of the chapeaux in Senator William A. Federal court for selling elemangerclenched, but his voice was calm as held the excited horses while John | tectural bronze work not only in this helped Jessie to alight.

"Jump on my horse and git!" said

haple and held her hands in his. "Jessie, I am innocent, but the orld will hold me responsible for he death of that blackguard. Sweetheart. I had dreamed of bridging the gulf between us. I had faith that me lucky star would smile on my mbitions; that my youth and health yould one day make me worthy of the grandest gift God gives to manthe love of the woman he worships! That hope is not dead, but it has gone far from me. I must endure either imprisonment and disgrace at home or exile abroad. I can face, either,

John drew Jessle to the shadow of a

am in a whisper.

Jessie, if I have the support of your friendship, and the knowledge that you hold me guiltless. Can you give me them, sweetheart? " * "Both, John," said Jessie, softly, "I Chow on the 26th inst. The United The latest report is that Cossacks 1-shall pray for your success. Go States gunboat Frolic, now here, will have occupied Pukchong. now, John! Take Sam's advice and mine. Good bye, dear!" There were evacuated by the Russians.

tears in the sweet voice. Will you kiss me: Jessie?** (To be continued.)

ODD SCENES IN CHURCH.

mon Under Difficulties.

"A Preacher's Story of His Work" Dr. Rainsford tells of some

Dr. Rainsford was in the middle of his sermon when he chanced to look the members of the choir were scated in a large box-like pew, screened from the congregation by a curtain. Much guests was grouped behind Arthur grip of iron shook him as a dog does to the preacher's surprise one of the Morris. One of the young women a rat. His wineglass fell with a crash men in the choir put his arm around a girl, drew her head down on his "Another word, you drunken insult. shoulder and then looked up at Dr.

The preacher stopped his sermon, walked down out of the pulpit and told the rector the members of the choir were acting outrageously. The rector walked to the pew, drew the curtain down with a jerk and exposed the spooning couple to the view of the ongregation.

Then Or. Rainsford resumed his sermon. A minute later he chanced to look down the main aisle, and there, walking in solemn procession, were a hen and a dozen chicks. To crown it all, when the sexton tried to drive them out he was so drunk he fell right on top of the hen. And then from his place the old rector cried out: "Let her alone, John; she is doing no harm."

A Teacher Taught. Dr. Vaughan, for many years headmaster at Harrow, once had an amus-

prought before Dr. Vaughan charged with some dire scholastic offense. "What is your name?" asked the

naster, with due severity. Dodd, sir," answered the tr

"Dodd! Do you spell it with one 'd.' 'No, sir, three," answered the boy. The doctor put his head upon the

moment, and then dismissed the dan- Bremen line piers, where the firemen men. They say marines could not He said afterward: "I could no more have punished that boy than I locks. save the such a lesson in spelling."-

A Bright Boy. Judge E. H. Gary, chairman of the executive committee of the Steel

Trust, used to live in the Illinois town "One day in Wheaton," Judge Gary said recently, "I took dinner with a man had an eight-year-old son called Joe, and Joe was a very bright boy.

tion to ask you about your father.' "Joe looked gravely at me. " 'All right; I'll answer your ques-"'Well,' said I, 'I want to know if

your father doesn't preach the same sermon twice sometimes." 'Yes, I think he does,' said Joe. but the second time he always hollers in different places from what he did

the first time."

Quite Feasible. Joseph M. Edwards, who travels for Baltimore dry gods house, told the following at the Grand the other even-

lor I'm acquainted with who's a bit of wit in his way. He lives, or rather did, before the fire, as it burned him out, in a very dilapidated house, and his rooms were always in great disor-

"Why don't you get married?" I said to him one day, "Then you would have some one to keep the place tidy, and make it homelike." " 'The fact is, I've never thought of ,' he replied, 'but it seems quite feasible that a better half would want better quarters.'

"Since the fire I have not seen the old fellow, and no one seems to know of his present whereabouts."-New You Clobe

Historic Farm for Sale.

Corley Hall farm, a picturesque English homestead on the main road be offered at public auction. Within ured conspicuously. Here it was that with her the unfortunate Hetty Sorrel. George Eliot described the place as it was in the earlier half of the nineteenth century. Since then it has undergone considerable renovation. but is still yearly visited by tourists

Wealthy Woman Evangelist. Miss Mary B. Robinson of Pittsburg.

Pa., is the richest woman evangelist. She is the niece of John G. Robinson, secretary of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railway; has a fortune of \$500,-John Burt's face was radiant as he the homely but welcome face of Sam the most luxurious homes in the smoky city. She is young, pretty and "Drive on as fast as ye can, John." has such a glorious voice that an im-

> Bronze Work for Fair. country, but in Europe.

RUSSIANS EVACUATE DALNY; TROOPS TO PORT ARTHUR

gees arriving here Sunday by junk, horthwest of Dalny, Ail valuables, ammunition and most of the troops have been taken to

go to Niuchwang in case that town is The Japanese are preparing to resist

Report Battle North of Prany.

Che Poo: Dainy has practically the vicinity of Dainy and that a battle been evacuated, according to the took place Friday at Ying Chong Tse, statements of Sikh and Russian retu- a point on the railroad about ten miles

Aussians Occupy Pukchong.

Seoul: It is estimated that the Russians at Hambeung number 1,000 One large Russian warship, probat with twelve guns. It is expected that bly the armored cruiser Bayan, and they will soon be re-enforced. Costhree torpedo boats reached Talien sacks claim that 600 cavalry and 4,000 wan bay on Tuesday last from Port infantry are moving forward. The Arthur, and it was doubtless this main bodies of the invaders are ad vessel which attacked the Japanese vancing by two routes, flanked and left wing during the battle of Kin preceded by small sconting parties

the advance. It is probable that a column will be sent north from Gen San A body of infantry left Scort Che Foo: AChinese who arrived from Sunday for Gen San. It is reported Dalny Sunday, having left there on that two Russian columns have com-Saturday, says that a Japanese scout, bined a few miles from Pukchong and ing party was seen by villagers in cut the southern telegraph lines.



FREIGHT PIERS AND TUGS BURNED IN NEW YORK FIRE

Desperate Effort.

ing encounter with a small boy who piers of the Delaware. Lackawanna terests in Tangier or other places in carried off the honors of the occasion, and Western Rairond in Jersey City Morocco be imperfled in any way as The incident greatly pleased the doc- were destroyed by a fire that started a result of complications growing out A frightened child named Dodd was | Pier 12, on which a lot of barrels of leardis, by the Moorish bandits, it

soon abiaze its entire length.

boats stayed the advance.

at from 30 to 300. The number of from the admiral up to Sunday night. freight cars burned is not known, but on this class of rolling stock and

coal cars the loss will be heavy.

Oklahoma Crops Damaged. Guthrie, Okla.: During Saturday fell throughout Oklahoma. The storm was severe, interrupting traffic of all kinds in the Osage country. There was a washout which flooded a large case would come up again next Sepcourse of the dinner, I have a quest area and did great damage to crops, tember. August Griewe, who was on with considerable property loss. Pottawatomic county was flooded, the was challenged, committed suicide river being deluged. At Wanetta, the minds over the Gillespie case and imstreets were veritable canals, and the Katy track was submerged. Denver, Enid and Gulf trains are being held

by bridges being washed out.

Gillespies Case in Hands of Jury. Rising Sun, Ind.: The Gillespie would not be required to deliberate lurors sent out for a box of stogies storm was general throughout the and this impresed those about the Ohio valley. courthouse that there would be a protracted sitting and possibly a dis-

agreement.

Senator Quay Is Dead. Beaver, Pa.: Senator Matthew Stan- mand for Mexican dollars increases y Quay died at 2:48 p. m. Saturday. and Japan has bought heavily of late. The immediate cause of his death was exhaustion, due to inability to assimilate nourishment. He had taken tion of the trouble.

Kuropatkin Begins Offensive Move. St. Petersburg: It is reported to the war office that Kuropatkin has be- visited this section again Saturday

our an offensive movement south-ward. The Russian advance guard ceedingly hard rain fell. The pest of is supposed to have reached a point cottonplant lice is creating some unthirty-seven miles north of Kin Chou. easiness. Mulberry, Ark., Has a Big Fire. Van Buren, Ark.: The town of Mul-

visited by a fire Sunday morning. Beddent, has been removed from Los Anfore the flames were checked there geles to Carpenteria, a quiet coast was a loss of \$20,000 Kansas Tornado Kills One Man. Toneka Kas: In a tornado at

Pleasant Grove, southwest of here, David Fellingham was killed and his wire and baby badly injured. The Fellingham house was demolished. Heavy rains followed the storm and all the

treams were bankful Friday

Queen Lil Sails for Honolulu. San Francisco: Former Queen Liljuokalani of Hawaii and her party sailed Thursday on the steamer Thermometers on the street regis-Cholera Among Japanese Troops. Liao-Yang: Natives have brought in

Butter Dealer Fined \$1.000

St. Louis: George Lehrter, a butter The striking bronze cartouch and sealer, was fined \$1,000 Monday in the ing to kill you, and he's insulted Miss whip which sent them dashing down | Clark's residence in New York will be | ine without paying the Government | the wheels of a train here Tuesday the road. A few minutes later they exhibited at the World's Fair. It is tax. He pleaded guilty to the charge Both legs were severed above the John's teeth were set and his hands reached the Bishop farmhouse. Sam one of the handsomest pieces of archi. and waived a formality of a trial. | knees and he died seven hours later

MAY LAND AMERICAN MARINES IN MOROCCO

Atlantic Steamers Are Saved Only by To Protect American Interests Should Complications Result.

New York: Seven freight and coal Washington: Should American inabout 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon in of the capture of the American, Permay become necessary to land ma-The flames spread rapidly. Pier 12 rines from the American men-of-war was eight hundred feet long and was now on thir way there. This contingency, however, has not been seriousto considered by the administration and beyond, being finally checked at as there has been no evidence that

Pier 5. Here the firemen and fire such a step was necessary. Officials say it has never been con-Sparks fell along the water front for templated that marines should be sent a mile, endangering the Luckawanna into the interior of the country to desk, covered it with his hands a | Depot and the Hamburg-American and | assist in the rescue of the captured played streams of water upon the accomplish anything because of the buildings and over the ships at their inaccessibility of the country. It was expected that Admiral Chadwick with A number of sonal boats and seve the emiser Brooklyn would arrive at eral tugs were burned, the loss of Tangier Sunday, but Secretary Moody small boats being variously estimated said that nothing had been received

No Gillespie Verdict. Rising Sun, Ind.: After deliberating forty-two hours without coming to a agreement, Judge Downey discharge the jury in the Gillespie case Sunday that the State would oppose any effort on the part of the defense to release James Gillespie and stated that the the jury originally, but afterwards lowland forms along the Canadian Saturday night. It is said he lost his agined that James Gillespie was try-

ing to kill him. Storm General in Ohio Valley. Evansville, Ind.: A severe windstorm passed over southern Indiana murder case Went to the jury Friday. Sunday afternoon, tearing down fenc-The judge announced that the jury es and trees. The mail whartboat here was damaged and the old waterat length. Friday afternoon the works plant was unroofed. The

> Japan Buys Mexican Dollars. Mexico City: The coinage facilities at the mint in this city are to be largely increased. The foreign de-

Student Drowned in Wabash. Sulivan, Ind.: Bert Walters, 25 years no food since 3 o'clock Saturday moru- old, a student at Union Christian ing. Chroaic gastritis and inflamma- College, at Merom, drowned while tion of the stomach was the founda- bathing in the Wabash River Saturday uight. His home was at Mahomet, III.

> Hard Rain in Texas. Marble Falls, Tex.: Good showers

Mrs. Garfield Very Ill.

Los Angeles, Cal.: Mrs. Lucretia berry, twenty miles east of here, was Garfield, widow of the martyred Presi-

> To Prevent Illegal Fishing. Charleston, Ill.: Illegal fishing has been carried on to such an extent in the Ambraw river, near this city, that a deputy sheriff has been sworn in and is being paid by private subscription, to guard the banks of the river. The guard will be retained

Philadelphia: Excessive heat here Thursday resulted in five prostrations. tered 94 degrees. Engineer's Wife Is Killed.

Pacific, Mo.: Mrs. J. N. Everett.

until after the law expires. June 15.

Five Overcome in Philadelphia.

ows from Feng-Wang-Cheng that the wife of Engineer Everett of the Mis cholera, in a particularly violent form, souri Pacific at this place, was struck as broken out among the Japanese by a Frisco freight here Tuesday eventroops. In some cases death has oc- ing and died soon after from her in juries. She was walking with her husband when the accident occurred.

> Both Legs Cut Off by Train. Offinton, Mo.: Clarence H. Adams of Harpers Ferry, W. Va., fell under

Missouri Doing's

MISSOURI BANKERS **ELECT OFFICERS**

state Association Selects Rubey as President.

St. Louis: The Missouri Bankers' issociation ended its annual session horrible accidents in the history of thursday afternoon in the Missouri De Kath county occurred Saturday in y electing the following officers: of here, in which three men were killresident, H. M. Rubey, Macon; Vice ed and one injured. besident, S. H. Neson, Chillocothe; The quarry is located on the line of teasurer, W. C. Harris, Fulton,

coided that that was not according sion. heir own nominating committee where 100 pounds of powder had been

theat a dissenting vote. The headquarters for the associated. Four men were working below, ion have heretotore been in Butler, and were taking up the track and ties, out the bankers voted to change the so the facing rock would not strike beadquarters to Sedalia, because Set them. Three of them were buried belalls is the larger town and more neath several feet of the rock, and

mahogany gavel from the association | The bodies of the dead were notifiate in appreciation of his services as its ed terribly. One man's head was The new President of the associa- were terribly crushed. A Coroner's tion is a bank President, although he inquest was held and the jury found

He was formerly Vice President of the at the rock quarry only about ten days. association. Mr. Keyser was re-elected sacretary. City on the 17th. The officers are industrious men, and | They do not speak English, and have

The Council of Administration will meet in January and select the place for holding the session next year. The fact that at the session Wedneshly the reward for bank burglars was raised from \$100 to \$500 has Most Valuable Prize Offered by Misrough; out the ascertion that there co more bank burglars in Missouri ow than ever before, and hence it is of the greatest importance that the

attoral association and the reward y the Missouri banks is simply an addition, and is an incentive to offiers of the peace to be more vigilant in suppressing bank burglars.

These battles are members of the

their ability.

DOUBLE PRIZES OFFERED TO MISSOURI STOCKMEN

world at the World's Fair will receive The records of live stock exhibits versity of Nebraska or the last ten years show that Missouri existitors have won more preniums than have been won by all of he exhibitors of North America aside | Allotments of \$52,000 Submitted for rom Missouri. The indications are that the Missanti stockmen who have een preparing antinals for the last

2 months will take a majority of the remiums effered by the Louisiana Perchase Exposition Co he Missouri Werld's Fair Coronision adopted as a past for the distritook suggestions presented by W. H. fentry chairman of the committee in

The plan provides that all cash rizes won by Missourl animais in ompetition with the world on horses, acks and mules in classes 1 to 18, inbusive, and in all classes of cattle, logs, sheep and goats, as embraced in he official classification of the Louislana Purchase Exposition, shall be dulicated.

State prizes amounting to \$50,000 pon classification of the chief of the of the bill \$50,000 is the maximum to ive Stock Department are provided. This classification is to be submitted by Commissioner Gentry and approv d by the commission as soon as posible. This will largely increase the Davidson, president of the Frisco, anumber of prizes offered in each class. | nounces that, effective June 1, the line vision of such balance of \$85,000 as Cape Girar leau, Mo., 124.1 miles, will emains unawarded under the first be operated and will be known as the and second provisions, not to exceed St. Louis division of the Third dis-\$20,000, shall be divided among all trict. The following stations are on

following proportion: cad: goats, \$4 a head.

as premiums for poultry. Dr. Todd Arraigned.

Nevada, Mo.: Doctor J. D. Todd. last week. Doctor Todd's attorneys suicide at his home in this chy last waived the reading of the information | week. Pike lost money on his concharging the defendant with murder tract and brooded over it. in the first degree and entered a plea of not guilty. On June 16 Doctor Todd's attorneys will ask that he be released upon bond, and they will in- aged 14, accidentally shot Chas. Bisptroduce testimony to sustain the ap- linghoff, aged 12, while playing with

contest granting of bond. Grants Sick Pardons.

Jefferson City, Mo.: Gov. Dockery has granted sick pardons to three St. Louis convicts, all colored. John Wood, sent up for murder in the seccond degree, to serve ten years from December 20, 1899; Anna Meredith, to serve ten years for murder in the second degree, from March 27, 1901, and Luch Mitchell, to serve three years for manslaughter in the third degree, at the home of her son, T. H. Hill, in from November 25, 1903. Mitchell has Blue Springs. She was born in Virrheumatism and the other two con- ginia 86 years ago, and was married

Mansfield, Mo.: John Baker, aged 18, of Macomb, shot and instantly kill- nomination of this city have let the ed Alexander Whittaker, aged 22, six | contract for the building of their new miles east of here. Saturday night, church to W. J. Heflin & Sons of this festival. Baker fired one shot, which will cost \$14,000 completed, including feiled Whitaker, and then fired four a \$2,000 parsonage.

Kills Missourian at Festival.

Marshall Graduates.

more shots into the man's body.

THREE MEN KILLED IN MINE ACCIDENT

Ignorance of a Foreigner Causes Fatal Explosion in D2 Kalb County.

Maysville, Mo .: One of the most uilding at the World's Fair grounds a rock quarry eleven miles southeast

e retary, W. F. Keyser, Butler; the P. & G. R. R. Seventy-five men are working there, forty-eight of whom These were the officers reported by are Hungarians, is special nominating committee, and Saturday while preparations were

went through without a hitch. being made for an explosion, one of the The Woman's Federation had voted foreigners, who had lately arrived, to others not on the nominating com- toucked off a fuse, which ignited some altee report, which fact was com- wet powder scattered along the Note sented on by the bankers, and they that had been drilled for the exploo political floyle, and hence indorsed The flash found its way to the hole,

placed, and a terrific explosion followcentrally located.

the fourth was partly covered to the fourth was partly covered t

s only 39 years old. He has been in that the dead came to their death by the banking business, however, for 21 accident. years, and is accounted one of the The bodies were taken to Cameron jast posted banking men in the State. for burial. The men killed had been

blown half off All three of the dead

There were brought in from Kansas it is said that under their direction been over from Europe about a year. the association will increase in in- No one is held responsible for what

> G. W. ROGENWAY OF CLARK WINS STEPHENS' MEDAL

souri University. Columbia, Mo .: The annual Stebanks protect themselves to the best phens' medal contest, the first of the closing exercises of Missouri solversity, took place in the auditorium Saturday night. The prize, which is consifered the most valuable of any offered by the Misouri university, is a gold medal awarded annually from a fund denated by the late Hon J. L. Stephens of Columbia. The judges in the contest were Prof. L. M. Defoe, Prof. M. L. Lipscomb and Judge V. H. Ro-

berts, all of the university, The contestants were James A. Hammock of Jackson, Miss. State Commission Will Duplicate the W. Ridgeway of Clark, Mo.; Thomas Amounts Won by Home Animals. W. Robinson of Macon and Shepherd Leffler of Maryville, Mo. The judges Missouri owners of animals that unanimously awarded the metal to

win premiums in competition with the George W. Ridgeway of Clark, Mo. The annual baccalaureate sermon wice the amount of the premium of was preached Sanday by Rev. E. Benjamin Andrews, chanceller of the uni-

TO IMPROVE THE MISSOURI

Work on Lower Rivers. Washington: Major H. F. Hodges of the Engineer Cotus, who has imme-\$3,000,000 emergency ever and harbor appropriation, has submitted to the Secretary of War for approval an mion of each prizes for Miss-ari allotment of \$50,000 for improvements to the Missouri River below Sloux

City. This includes the work at St. Joseph and other points in Missouri, covering all of the lower river. The allotment was recommended by the engineer officer in charge of the

Missouri River district. It is believed Secretary Taft will approve A recommendation also was submitted for an allotment of \$2,000 for "snagging" in the Missouri River below above Sioux City; will be approyed. According to the provisions

be allowed a single project.

Cape Girardeau Line. A circular from the office of A. J. The third provision is that the di- from Southeastern Junction, Mo., to worthy animals on exhibition in the the line in the order named; Southeastern Junction, Afton, Ten Brook, Horses, \$12 a head; cattle, \$10 a Cedars, Horiae, Ludwig Siding, Fesead; hogs, \$8 a head; sheep, \$6 a tus, Crystal City, McCoy, Rush Tower, Brickey's, St. Genevieve, St. Mary's, This amount does not include \$7,000 St. Mary's Junction, McBride, Menwhich the commissions has set aside fro, Seventy-Six, Wittenberg, Neely's,

Loss of Money Causes Suicide. sedalia, Mid D. W. Pike, until reormer Representative, who shot and cently a someontractor on the grading ras arraigned before Judge Timmonds St. Louis and Kansas Ct., sommittee Missouri Boy Shoots Companion.

Bainbridge and Cape Girardeau.

Frederick, Mo : Chas Christoph, plication. The State Attorney will a target rifle. Bisplinghoff is in a precarious condition. Car Kills St. Joseph Woman.

St. Joseph, Mo .: Mrs. Mary O'Con-

nell, aged 70, was run down by a south-

bound Krug park car at St. Jsseph avenue and Richardson street Saturday afternoon and instantly killed, her

body being severed completely. Aged Missouri Woman Dead. Kansas City, Mo.: Mrs. Adaline Weatherford died Saturday morning

Baptists to Build New Church. Huntsville, Mo.: The Baptist de-

in 1837.

The young men were at a strawberry place. It is to be a brick building and Kirksville Graduates Sixty-Two.

Kirksville, Mo.: The State Normal Marshall, Mo.: The graduating ex- school graduated twenty-two young ercises of the Marshall high school men and forty young women. Chanwere held in the opera house here cellor Chaplin of Washington University addressed the school.

ed Jessie to the landing, and turned the scent. I ran the Standish out sing in public. She has decided to could, it is said, earn their living as to see Sam Rounds running toward inter the bay, set 'er tiller an' let 'er enter the field of evangelical work go, an' come back an' told 'em you and devote her life to teaching the entred within three hours. "Excuse me," said he breathlessly had given 'em the slip that way, moral law and trying to save sinners. to Jessie. "I want you, John!" He Pretty slick, eh? You bet none o' drew John aside. "Arthur Morris and them dudes can get the best of Sam